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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SHUM, PINT, KS
SUBJ: CONDITION OF MYONGDONG PRISONER REV MUN TONG-HWAN

1. DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO SENATOR LOWELL WEICKER, JR., FEDERAL BUILDING, 915 LAFAYETTE BOULEVARD, BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT 06604:

"THANK YOU FOR LETTER OF AUGUST 23 CONCERING HEALTH OF REVEREND STEPHEN MOON, BROTHER-IN-LAW OF YOUR CONSTITUENT MR WILLIAM PINCHBECK. WE HAVE BEEN IN FREQUENT CONTACT WITH KOREAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL TO KEEP ABREAST OF REV MOON'S CONDITION. RECENT REPORT INDICATES THAT AS OF AUGUST 29 REVEREND MOON'S HEALTH WAS GENERALLY GOOD. HIS BLOOD PRESSURE WAS 150 OVER 100, HIS PULSE 66, HIS TEMPERATURE NORMAL. EXAMINATION BY PRISON DOCTORS INDICATED NO (RPT NO) INFECTION OF KIDNEYS OR OTHER THREAT TO HEALTH. WE WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW DE-
VELOPMENTS IN THIS CASE.
REGRET DELAY IN REPLYING TO YOUR INQUIRY, BUT YOUR LETTER JUST REACHED US IN SEOUL ON SEPTEMBER 7. I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONVEY MY BEST WISHES.
AMBASSADOR SNEIDER".
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